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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: )  
C. Douglass Thomas )  
Application No: 09/098,279 )  
Filed: June 16, 1998 )  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REMOTE )  
MONITORING AND CONTROL OVER A )  
COMPUTER NETWORK )

Attorney Docket No: ADC97-1

Group Art Unit: 2613

Examiner: Vo, T.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed November 19, 2002 finally rejecting Claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7-9, 11-18, 39-44, 47-50, and 52-66.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Appeal Fee: ☒ \$160.00 (Small Entity) ☐ \$320.00 (Large Entity)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply:

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☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Months</u>	<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one	\$110.00	\$ 55.00
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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

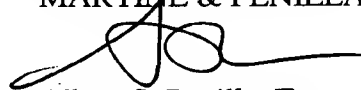
☐ An extension for \_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Notice of Appeal Fee	\$ 160.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$
 Total Fee Due	 \$ 160.00

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